



i-GATE (LIVERMORE VALLEY)

i-GATE (Innovation for Green Advanced Transportation Excellence) is an example of local and regional government, premier national research laboratories, and the business and local community collaborating to develop the technology sector for green transportation and clean energy to create jobs and drive regional economic growth.

Clean technologies are essential to the growth of the transportation industry. Vehicle engine efficiency, electric vehicles/batteries, alternative fuels, vehicle aerodynamics, autonomous vehicles, "smart" freeway systems, transportation systems analysis, engine analysis software, clean energy generation, and energy efficiency technologies are a few examples of opportunities for startup companies made possible by i-GATE resources and partnerships. As these technologies are developed, the iHub program provides an excellent structure to highlight California as a global leader in "clean tech" innovation.

As an inaugural member of the California iHub program, i-GATE is demonstrating how advancement in emerging industries is made possible through cooperation. i-GATE is composed of the City of Livermore, Sandia National Laboratory (SNL), and Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), in addition to partnerships with other Tri-Valley cities, governmental institutions, local jurisdictions, educational institutions, economic development agencies, domestic and international businesses, and venture capitalists. With the backing of government, the support of business, and the progress of cutting-edge research, i-GATE is exemplifying the value of the iHub program in propelling emerging industries, creating jobs, and contributing to the economy of the state of California.

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